To Kevin Witkos, Bill Simanski and all other CT State Senators and Reps,

On the matter of Forced School Regionalization S.B. 738 and S.B. 457, I believe this is a very BAD idea for the following reasons:

- 1) our town will **lose control of its schools**... a power and money grab of the big cities with failing schools
- 2) our town money will be going to failing schools in other cities
- 3) our children can be Bused to other towns.
- 4) big cities like Hartford, Bridgeport and New Haven **spend way money more per student**

than smaller towns with very bad results!!!!

5) **property values with fall** in towns affected.

If you don't think this can happen... think again!
This is not a political party issue... this is your town issue.
You have to fight this with all your being.

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